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NARCISSUS HERMANI, "NORMANDY"

FALL 1945

Max Schling Seedsmen, Inc.

618 MADISON AVENUE • NEW YORK CITY, 22



Our Rarity Collection of Daffodils and Narcissi has be-

come so popular that original purchasers of this collec-

tion have become "spoiled" for other varieties.

Because of the tremendous demand for this collection,

and the countless testimonials we have received from

those who have already been enchanted by these out-

standing varieties, we are again featuring this offer,

although we do suggest that careful consideration be

given the outstanding varieties offered in our Exhibition

and Connoisseur Collections.

To those who have not already grown our Rarity Col-

lection we can only say that there is no finer Daffodil

value offered in the entire horticultural world.

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How Many More of Our Famous Rarity Collection of Narcissi and Daf- fodils Can You Use?

Now, for the first time, Max Schling offers a new strain of Narcissi combining boldness and gracefulness with stems averaging three flowers in a cluster, each bloom averaging 2 to 3 inches in diameter.

A planting of these bulbs creates a triple effect, each stem being the equivalent of three stems, and there are many bulbs that will have two stems each. New garden effects can be obtained by the liberal use of this new strain, and startling cut flower arrangements are possible with the splendid cluster effect.

Hermann

Multiple-Flowered Giants

Order Early to Avoid Disappointment
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MAX SCHLING SPECIALTIES

SUPER FREESIAS Eastern Giant Strain

The breath-taking beauty and enormous but gracious size of this gorgeous Daffodil appearing on the cover is too difficult to describe. For actual size measure the flowers in the color illustration with a rule. We are happy to report that the performance of this variety in our trial gardens was so outstanding that a popular favorite such as **King Alfred** seemed to be out-classed by its performance. Fortunately, however, **King Alfred** is at least a week earlier to bloom, and, therefore, we will not claim that **Babylon Majestic** will supplant that ever-popular variety, but in reality **Babylon Majestic** will extend the enjoyment period for those who love huge butter-yellow Daffodils. We still recommend **King Alfred** as the best **forcing** variety because of its earliness.

AMARYLLIS

Schling's famous Sequoia strain. A lasting bulbous plant that should be in every home as it is deserving of the greatest popularity.

See our listing of a famous private estate collection.

PESTEX

A remarkable preparation that will positively repel all forms of moles, field mice and other rodents that are destructive to bulbs. **60¢ per 10 lbs., \$4.50, postpaid.** 1 lb. sufficient for treatment of 200 bulbs. Absolutely harmless to plant life.

This strain represents a quality of Freesia never offered before. It is a vigorous growing strain producing flowers that resemble miniature Lilies in size, with an exquisite Freesia fragrance all their own.

Babylon Majestic

AS THIS CATALOG goes to press the Dutch bulb situation is in a turmoil. Hollanders in this country who represent bulb growing firms in Holland, and who have relatives and business associates abroad, are no more certain of the situation than we, who have to depend on cabled reports for our information.

We feel that a goodly percentage of Holland-grown bulbs will be available this year. That is why we are printing this complete catalog. If the bulbs do not materialize we will have many fine varieties of American-grown Tulips, Crocus and Hyacinths to offer. The situation does not affect the supply of Daffodils, Iris, many Spring Harbingers, and any of the home forcing bulbs.

Place your bulb orders with us in confidence for if we cannot fill it in full, information to that effect will be immediately forthcoming.

Reserve the most treasured corner of your garden for some of Max Schling's bulbs.

Prices subject to revision.

RARITY Collection of NARCISSUS and DAFFODILS

This outstandingly beautiful collection of Daffodils and Narcissus, illustrated on our second cover page, is worthy of consideration by all garden lovers. The connoisseur will delight in being able to purchase these selected and outstanding varieties at a nominal price, whereas the gardener who appreciates beauty for beauty's sake is enabled to obtain these "out of reach" varieties at practically the cost of ordinary varieties.

Two years ago the cost of the entire collection of three each would not have bought four bulbs of the variety Lord Wellington alone. Our supply of these varieties, while sufficiently ample, will definitely not last through the season. Place your order early to insure delivery.

3 each of above outstanding collection	(15 bulbs in all)	\$3.85
6 each of above outstanding collection	(30 bulbs in all)	6.50
12 each of above outstanding collection	(60 bulbs in all)	12.50
25 each of above outstanding collection	(125 bulbs in all)	25.00
No. 1 variety—Dorine	No. 3 variety—Lord Wellington	
No. 2 variety—Frylink	No. 4 variety—Orange Glow	
No. 5 variety—Lady Diana Manners		

Postage paid in second Postal Zone from New York only. For other Postal Zones kindly add 5% to the cost of Collection for mailing.

Daffodil, Babylon Majestic Max Schling Introduction, 1944

Since its introduction last year, we have had reams of testimonials as to its colossal beauty.

A single flower won the prize as best flower in the New York Horticultural Society Show for 1945.

This super Daffodil can be planted in addition to King Alfred, extending the enjoyment period of Daffodils for at least ten days.

Price: \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

The OUTSTANDING NOVELTY *Narcissi Hermani* NORMANDY

Pictured on front cover.

In accordance with our policy of introducing a new variety each year we offer with pride an entirely new member of the race of Daffodils—"Normandy," an outstanding new form of Narcissi.

Each floret is as large as a Barri or Incomparabilis type, and the flowers are borne in clusters of three. One does not have to be a fancier to appreciate the beauty and practicality of this variety for garden effects and startling cut flower arrangements.

Another noteworthy feature of this variety is its late bloom, extending the enjoyment of the Narcissus display well into spring.

Price: \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

TERMS OF SALE

We, Max Schling Seedsmen, Inc., give no warranty, express or implied, as to the productiveness of any seeds or bulbs we sell, and will not be in any way responsible for the crop. Our liability in all instances is limited to the purchase price of the seeds or bulbs. Goods to be returned must be sent back within five days after receipt of merchandise.

We are in no way bound to supply any merchandise which we offer and all stocks are sold subject to crop conditions, acts of war, or acts of God. **We reserve the right to change prices without notice** and also reserve the right to withhold from sale any merchandise which we have offered subject to the above conditions. Ceiling prices prevail on all fertilizers, insecticides and various agricultural tools and implements. See page 18 for free postage information.

The prices in this catalog supersede all previous offers.

AMERICAN and DUTCH GROWN TULIP BULBS

In view of the excellent results obtained from American grown Tulips since 1939, we are loathe to put all our eggs in the Holland basket. It is true that the renewed importation of Tulip bulbs will increase our range of colors and varieties, but as to quality there is no difference. Good bulbs are good bulbs whether they are grown on this continent or imported, and the same too is true for low quality bulbs.

f. Denotes best varieties for forcing

SPECIAL COLLECTION OFFER OF

DARWIN TULIPS

All garden size bulbs. Study this value carefully.

Clara Butt. Lovely salmon-rose.
Inglescombe Yellow. Fine standard yellow.
Princess Elizabeth. Large rose-pink.
William Pitt. Rosy scarlet.
Violet Beauty. Brilliant rich violet.

6 each of the above 5 varieties (30 in all) \$ 3.25
 12 each of the above 5 varieties (60 in all) 6.00
 25 each of the above 5 varieties (125 in all) 11.50
 50 each of the above 5 varieties (250 in all) 21.00

Darwin Tulips

(Flowering period—May 5th to May 30th)

	12	100
Afterglow. Globular. Salmon-pink edged orange. 27 in.	\$1.75	\$13.50
Allard Pierson. Huge deep maroon. 36 in. Cup shaped	1.75	13.50
f. Bartigon. Cup shaped. Large fiery scarlet. 32 in.	1.75	13.50
Baronne de La Tonnaye. Lovely soft rose-pink. 28 in.	1.75	13.50
Black Eagle. Rich black-purple. Huge flower. 32 in.	2.00	15.50
Bleu Aimable. Bluish lavender, near blue. 28 in.	1.75	13.50
City of Haarlem. Huge brilliant scarlet. One of the best. 29 in. 2.00	2.00	15.50
Clara Butt. Lovely salmon-rose. A long standing favorite. 23 in. 1.75	1.75	13.50
Eclipse. Outstandingly beautiful. Rich deep red, blue base. Prize-winner. 32 in.	2.50	19.00
Farncombe Sanders. Rosy scarlet, white center, vigorous. 28 in. 1.75	1.75	13.50
Giant. Huge dark violet. 30 in.	1.75	13.50
King George V. Cherry-red. Large flower. 28 in.	1.75	13.50
King Harold. Rich mahogany-red. 28 in.	1.75	13.50
La Tulipe Noire. The black Tulip. 28 in.	1.75	13.50
f. Mme. Krelage. Lilac-rose; soft pink margin. 28 in.	1.75	13.50
Margaux. Deep wine-red. Oval shape. 32 in.	2.00	15.50
Pride of Haarlem Improved. New giant carmine pink sport. (New.) 36 in.	2.50	19.00
f. Princess Elizabeth. Vigorous growing. Tall stately rose-pink. 28 in.	1.75	13.50
Rev. H. Ewbank. Bright vivid lilac; lighter mauve margin. 26 in.	1.75	13.50
f. Rose Copeland. Early flowering lavender-pink. 25 in.	1.75	13.50
Silver Wing. A delightful pure white. 28 in.	2.00	15.50
The Bishop. Deep violet-blue. 30 in.	1.75	13.50
f. Victoire d'Oliveira. Burgundy-red. Splendid forcer. 26 in.	1.75	13.50
f. William Copeland. The most satisfactory lavender. 25 in.	1.75	13.50
f. William Pitt. Very early. Glowing scarlet. 26 in.	1.75	13.50
White Giant. Enormous pure white show variety. 36 in.	2.25	18.50
Yellow Giant. Enormous golden yellow. 32 in.	2.00	15.50
f. Zwanenburg. Standard popular white Darwin. 30 in. 1.90	1.90	14.00
Victory Mixed. Guaranteed mixture of at least fifteen varieties.		
Top size	1.60	12.50
Garden size	1.40	10.00



COTTAGE TULIPS

(Bloom May 5th to May 30th.)

A charming May-flowering race that is especially effective when planted informally in old-fashioned gardens, tree shaded color islands and in groupings around evergreens. Exquisite for cutting.

	12	100
Advance. Brilliant poppy-red; one of the brightest; long lasting and gorgeous. 30 in.	1.25	\$17.50
f. Albino. Fine early white, black anthers. 22 in.	1.90	14.50
Argo. Golden yellow, feathered red. 24 in.	1.75	13.50
Avis Kennicott. Deep yellow, black base. 26 in.	1.75	13.50
f. Carrara. Lovely pure white, yellow anthers. 25 in.	1.90	14.50
Ellen Willmott. Delicate primrose-yellow. Long, slender bloom. 20 in.	1.75	13.50
Dido. Lovely salmon-orange. A top favorite with many. 27 in.	1.75	13.50
Inglescombe Pink. Delicate salmon-pink. 26 in.	1.75	13.50
Inglescombe Yellow. Standard garden yellow. 26 in.	1.75	13.50
Mayflower. New large brilliant scarlet. Outstanding exhibition. 30 in.	3.00	22.50
Miss Blanche. Lovely tall and statelily pure white; extremely graceful. 32 in.	1.90	14.50
Moonlight. Sulphur-yellow. Oval-shaped. 22 in.	1.75	13.50
Mrs. John T. Scheepers. Beautiful large pale yellow. Exhibition. 30 in.	2.25	17.50
Mrs. Moon. Pure yellow, reflexed petals. 30 in.	1.75	13.50
Picotee. White edged rose-pink. Limited quantities. 22 in.	2.25	17.50
Rosabella. Pale salmon-rose. 24 in.	1.75	13.50
Vesta. Large creamy white. Tall and showy. 30 in.	1.90	14.50
Old English Mixture	1.65	12.25

CELEBRATE VICTORY

BUY BONDS

PARROT TULIPS

(Bloom May 5th to 30th)

The exotic form and coloring of these famous Tulips are known to flower lovers everywhere. Not recommended for bedding, they should be planted in groups in a border or in the cut flower garden. (See color illustration inside back cover.)

	12	100
Fantasy. Beautiful salmon-pink striped green	1.90	\$14.50
Mixed	1.90	14.50

(Also see inside of back cover for other outstanding varieties of Parrot Tulips.)

TWO OUTSTANDING RARE NEW VARIETIES

GADELAN. Inside of petal bright orchid-purple; bluish violet on outside, edged white. Huge flowers 8 inches across. Height 22 inches. A single flower floating in a bowl of water is a complete floral arrangement.

THERÈSE. Brilliant carmine-red over all. Same size as Gadelan. Outstanding contrast.

Price:
\$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; \$13.50 per doz.

TRIUMPH TULIPS

(Bloom April 15th to May 10th)

A hardy early flowering hybrid strain blooming before the Single Earlies have ended, and before the Darwins. All varieties are excellent for forcing.

	12	100
Aviator. Brilliant red, feathered white. 23 in.	1.90	\$14.50
Kansas. One of the best whites. Tall. 24 in.	1.90	14.50
Una. Lovely orange-pink	1.90	14.50
Ursa Minor. One of the finest deep butter-yellow Tulips. Large blooms. Long blooming period. April 20th-May 15th.	1.90	14.50

MENDEL TULIPS

(Bloom April 15th to May 10th)

Less bold than the Triumph, they are equally as early, but are particularly charming for rockeries and old-fashioned gardens.

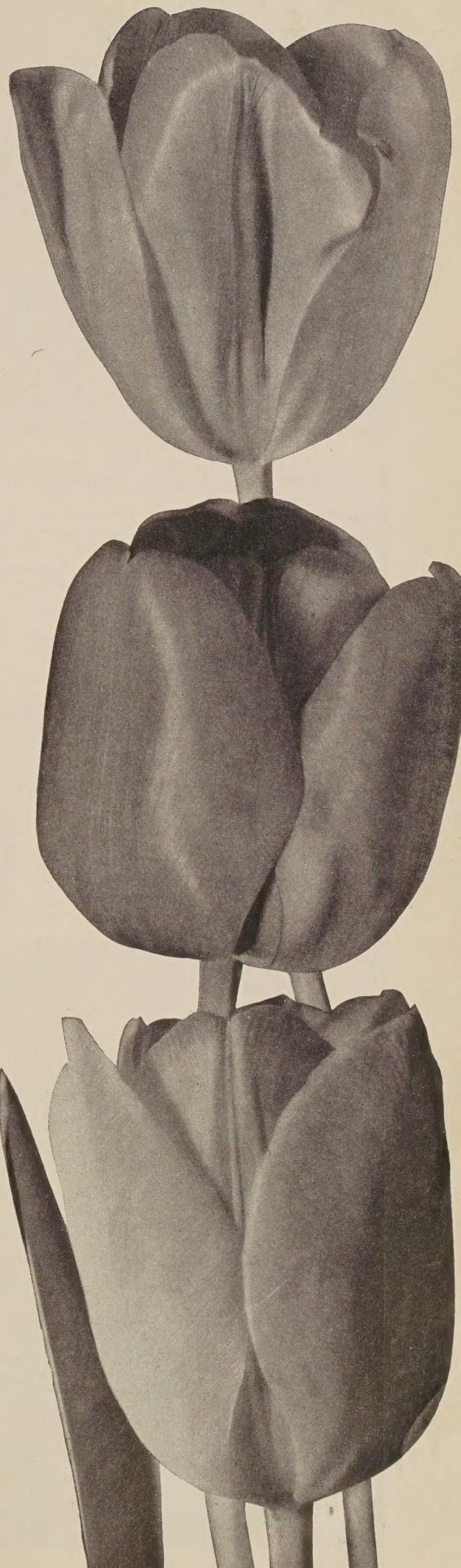
	12	100
Mrs. E. H. Krelage. Delicate soft salmon-pink; unequalled beauty. 20 in.	1.90	\$14.50
Krelage's Triumph. Deep maroon. 22 in.	1.90	14.50
Zenober. Rich blood-red. 22 in.	1.90	14.50

EARLY SINGLE TULIPS

(Bloom April 8th to May 5th)

Who has never thrilled to the first colorful splash of Tulip color in the spring? The bold earliness of the Early Singles makes them for some, the most popular class of Tulips. All varieties excellent for forcing.

	12	100
f. Couleur Cardinal. Scarlet and crimson. Large blooms. 18 in.	1.75	\$13.50
f. Gen. de Wet. An all around favorite. Brilliant orange, very long blooming season. 18 in.	1.90	14.50
f. Keizerskroon. Brilliant red and yellow. 16 in.	1.75	13.50
f. Pink Beauty. White and deep rose combination. 15 in.	2.00	15.50
f. Rising Sun. Deep yellow. 16 in.	1.75	13.50
f. Vermilion Brilliant. Very early brilliant red. 15 in.	1.90	14.50
f. White Swan. Pure white. 15 in.	1.75	13.50
f. Mixed Colors	1.60	12.50



EARLY DOUBLE TULIPS

(Bloom April 5th to May 1st. Height 12 to 15 inches)

These ideal cut flower Tulips are splendid massed under shrubbery such as Lilacs, early flowering Viburnum, etc. They provide a brilliant splash of color in the rock garden. All varieties splendid for forcing.

	12	100
Couronne d'Or. Yellow, orange tints	\$1.75	\$13.50
Electra. Deep carmine-red	1.75	13.50
Mr. Van der Hoef. Deep golden yellow. One of the best	1.75	13.50
Murillo. Blush-pink	1.75	13.50
Peach Blossom. Deep pink	1.75	13.50
Schoonoord. Pure white	1.75	13.50
Vuurbaak. Rich scarlet	1.75	13.50
Mixed	1.75	13.50



Startling New Varieties of Tulips

1939-1945 Introductions

These newer varieties would have been introduced since 1939, but for the war. They have all been recommended by our reliable Holland agent as the most outstanding new and recent developments.

Aga Khan. (Breeder.) Huge brilliant orange.
Cordell Hull. (Rembrandt.) Brilliant blood-red stripes on white ground.
Demeter. (Darwin.) Fully 4 feet tall. Rich dark blue.
Gen. Joffre. Single Early.) Huge flowers, deep butter-yellow.
Golden Age. (Darwin.) Brilliant bright golden orange-yellow.
Goya. (Double Early.) Salmon, scarlet and yellow combination.
Pride of Zwanenburg. (Darwin.) Large flowering, lovely salmon-rose.
Scarlet Sensation. (Darwin.) Huge brilliant scarlet.
Tantalus. (Breeder.) Tall growing; tremendous blooms; yellow flushed pale purple.
Utopia. (Darwin.) A most outstanding brilliant cardinal-red.

Price:

35c each; \$4.00 per doz.
 3 each of 10 varieties, \$8.75



Vuurbaak
(Early Double)



Red Emperor Tulips

Indian Chief
(Breeder)

BREEDER TULIPS

(Flowering period May 5th to 30th)

A tall, strong growing strain, each color overlaid with a metallic or coppery sheen. The most impressive of all bedding Tulips. All varieties produce huge chalice-like blooms.

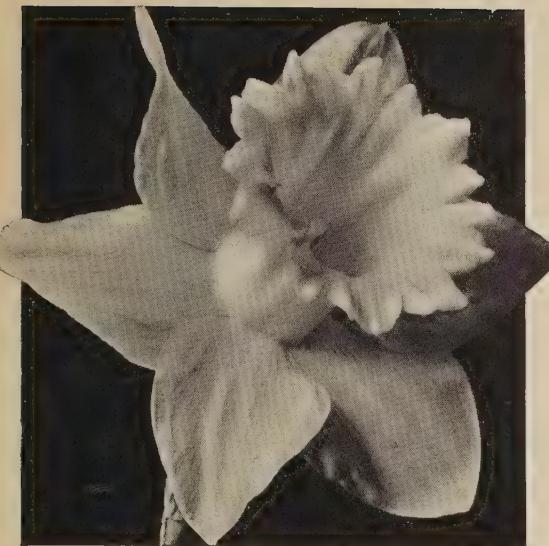
	12	100
Bacchus. Enormous purple-blue	\$2.00	\$15.50
Cardinal Manning. Rich rosy violet	1.90	14.50
Dom Pedro. Coffee-brown. 1.90		14.50
Indian Chief. Enormous coppery red. Exhibition variety	3.00	22.50
Louis XIV. Purple, golden brown edge	1.90	14.50
Prince of Orange. Large orange	1.90	14.50
Panorama. Enormous cuplike blooms. Terra-cotta-orange-bronze	1.90	14.50
Velvet King. Huge dark purple, white base	2.25	17.50
Mixed	1.75	13.50

EXTRA SPECIAL!

Red Emperor Tulips

Imagine flowers fully 9 inches across of the most brilliant red. The first Tulips in the garden to bloom. Stems 10 to 12 inches. Priceless for rock garden work, and for small areas where a conspicuous spot of color is desired. Imported top size bulbs, 75c each; \$8.25 per doz.

Subject to Import



Large Trumpet Narcissus

American Grown NARCISSI and DAFFODILS Exclusively

American-grown bulbs of Daffodils and Narcissi are the best in the world. They are superior in blooming quality and vitality, practically 100 per cent free of disease and insect pests, and require no treatment that sometimes injures imported Narcissus stock. We are proud to offer American-grown stock exclusively.

Jumbo Size designates bulbs that will produce 3 to 5 flowers per bulb.

Mammoth Size designates bulbs that will produce from 2 to 4 flowers per bulb.

Double Nose Size designates bulbs that will produce no less than 2 or more flowers per bulb.



Incomparabilis Narcissus

LARGE TRUMPET VARIETIES

f. Denotes best varieties for forcing.

Large or small plantings of these most satisfactory flowers provide "crowds of pretty Daffodils." A great many of the trumpet varieties are most suitable for greenhouse forcing and are especially marked. Every flower lover should try forcing a few pans of Daffodils for enjoyment during the winter.

Babylon Majestic. See back cover and page 3. 12 100

Beersheba. Enormous and magnificent. Pure white throughout. \$2.50 each; \$27.50 per doz.

Emperor. An old favorite. For naturalized groups of pure yellow Daffodils, this variety is highly recommended. Mammoth bulbs \$2.00 \$15.50 Double Nose bulbs 1.75 13.50

f. King Alfred. Consistently year in and year out the most satisfactory deep golden yellow Daffodil. A "must" variety. Giant jumbo bulbs 3.00 22.50 Mammoth bulbs 2.50 19.00 Double Nose bulbs 1.90 14.75

Lord Kitchener. A large flowering bi-color; lovely light yellow trumpet. Improved Spring Gory. 2.00 15.50

La Vestale. Early flowering beautiful cream-white; frilled trumpet. A show variety. Jumbo bulbs only 5.50 40.00

Lord Wellington. Truly the largest and deepest yellow Daffodil in existence. Flowers are almost twice the size of King Alfred. 12 100 \$5.50 \$40.00

Loveneck. A splendid collector's variety. Pure white perianth, trumpet turning to apricot-pink. Preferred by many to Mrs. R. O. Backhouse 4.00 30.00

f. Minister Talma. Early flowering butter-yellow; enormous frilled trumpet, perianth gracefully curved. Mammoth bulbs only 2.00 15.50

f. Mrs. E. H. Krelage (The White King Alfred). No collection can be complete without this charming and chaste creamy white Daffodil. Jumbo bulbs 5.50 40.00 Mammoth bulbs 4.75 36.50

Mrs. R. O. Backhouse. A gorgeous Leedsi type listed in the Trumpet section for it is really a fine white Daffodil with a pale rose-pink trumpet. A collector's favorite. \$2.00 each 22.50

Roxane. See Exhibitor's Collection.

Silver Star. Large Leedsi Daffodil. See under Leedsi.

Victoria. Bicolor. White perianth; golden yellow trumpet; short stem. Mammoth bulbs 3.00 22.50

Van Waveren's Giant. Huge flowering bicolor. Creamy white perianth, cream yellow trumpet. One of the biggest and best. Double Nose bulbs 2.25 17.50

BARRI TYPE

Splendid for cutting, naturalizing and rockeries. This class is noted for its splendidly formed flowers. The cups or crowns are less than one-third the length of the petals.

Anna Croft. A fine show type. Perianth light primrose, large trumpet, deep orange, finely crinkled and frilled. Tall and stately 2.25 17.25

Bath's Flame. An all-yellow beauty, the cup is deep gold edged with scarlet 1.50 11.50

Diana Kasner. Creamy yellow perianth. Cup same color. Deeply frilled and edged blood-red 1.50 11.50

f. Lady Diana Manners. One of the most outstanding varieties of Daffodils. Fully illustrated on inside front cover in actual size. Special price. 2.75 21.00

INCOMPARABILIS TYPE

An excellent type for cutting. Large, airy flowers with long petals. The cup or crowns are one-third as long as the petals.

12 100

Bernardino. A beautiful and stately bicolor type. Pointed white petals with elongated cup of deep yellow finely frilled 1.50 \$11.50

Croesus. A compact flower of good substance. Broad creamy white perianth, beautiful frilled yellow cup 1.75 12.50

Dorine. A massively large flower on tall 20-in. stems. Pale yellow perianth; large flaring orange cup. (See color illustration inside front cover.) 4.00 30.00

Fortune. See Exhibitor's Collection.

Francisca Drake. Outstanding collector's variety. Broad orange short trumpet surrounded by long white petals of unusual size. 35c each .. 3.75

f. Helios. Pure golden yellow all over. Cup slightly darker. Extra early. Very fine 2.00 15.00

Lucinius. Very fine pure yellow. Tall stems, large flowers 1.75 13.00

Orange Glow. Strong growing large flowering yellow; lovely flaring orange trumpet with frilled edge. (See color illustration inside front cover) 4.00 30.00

f. Sir Watkin. Large flowers, sulphur perianth with orange semi-trumpet. Excellent for all purposes, including forcing 1.50 11.50



Leedsi Narcissus



Barri Narcissus

LEEDSI TYPE

This group is gaining most rapidly in popularity. Large flowers in chaste white and creamy pink and apricot tones. Cup or crown more than one-third the length of petals.

	12	100
Gertie Millar. See Exhibitor's Collection.		
Hera. Perianth creamy; white cup deeply frilled. Very beautiful	\$1.50	\$11.50
Queen of the North. Very attractive for cutting and mass planting. Tall, pure white	1.50	11.50
f. Silver Star. A perfect broad-petaled, star-shaped Daffodil. Pure white perianth, primrose trumpet.		
Jumbo bulbs	2.25	17.25
Mammoth bulbs	2.00	15.50
Tunis. A genuine show variety. Tall, robust and of great substance. Large, pure white perianth; broad ivory trumpet richly scented. An outstanding variety.		
\$1.25 each	13.75	

DOUBLE DAFFODILS

Splendid for mixing in with other varieties of Daffodils. Unusual cut flowers may be had from these lovely Daffodils. All of them are fragrant.

	12	100
Albus Plenus Odoratus. Double-flowered. Pure white, Sweet scented	\$1.50	\$11.50
Cheerfulness. Listed under Poetaz varieties.		
Mary Copeland. An outstanding double with three distinct color tones; white, yellow and orange in alternating petals. Collector's variety. 50c each	5.50	
The Pearl. Creamy white and sulphur-yellow. Recommended instead of Sulphur Phoenix	1.50	11.50
f. Twink. One of the most outstanding varieties available at popular prices. Fully double flower with alternating light yellow and deep orange petals. One of the best for all purposes	2.25	17.00
f. Van Sion. Pure golden yellow, short stems. Splendid for forcing in pots	1.50	11.50

POETAZ or CLUSTER TYPE VARIETIES

	12	100
Actaea. Largest Poeticus in existence. Exhibition flower. Cup edged red. \$1.50		\$11.50
Eagle. Pure white with very vivid eye. 1.35		10.50
Glory. White perianth, yellow cup edged red	1.20	9.00
Ornatus Maximus. Very early flowering Pheasant's Eye	1.20	9.00
Recurvus. The original Pheasant's Eye Narcissus. Jumbo bulbs	1.10	8.00

	12	100
Cheerfulness. One of the most exquisite Narcissi for all locations. Clusters of from 3 to 5 perfect double flowers resembling Gardenias. Creamy yellow center. Outstanding. 1.50		11.50
Klondyke. An all-yellow cluster type. Rich yellow perianth, deep cup ..	1.50	11.50
L'Innocence. See Exhibitor's Collection.		
Laurens Koster. A very charming, beautiful variety bearing clusters of white flowers with orange cups..	1.50	11.50
Red Guard. See Exhibitor's Collection.		



Poetaz Narcissus



Jonquil, Double Campernelle

EXHIBITOR'S and CONNOISSEUR'S COLLECTION

In addition to our Rarity Collection of which each variety belongs in the Exhibitor's class, we offer the following outstanding varieties, which will be described more fully in our general bulb catalog.

Fortune. A huge golden yellow incomparabilis with deep orange trumpet. Always a prize winner. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50.

Gertie Millar. Giant Leedsi. White perianth, pale cream frilled trumpet. \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

Hermani. New 1945 introduction. Large flowers, white perianth, orange cup; borne in clusters. \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

L'Innocence. The largest and most satisfactory Poetaz or cluster Narcissus. White with yellow cup. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.

Red Guard. Unusual yellow with red cup. Cluster or Poetaz variety. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

Roxane. The most impressive white Daffodil. Huge trumpet, pale cream; an exhibitor's favorite. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SPECIAL COLLECTION OFFER:

1 each of above 6 varieties for \$ 6.50
3 each of above 6 varieties for 18.00

To round out the above collection we suggest these additional varieties:

Beersheba Mrs. R. O. Backhouse Tunis



Double Narcissus

Schling's Famous OREGON TRAIL MIXTURE NARCISSI and DAFFODILS FOR NATURALIZING

"A Long-Time Investment in Beauty"

We consider our Oregon Trail Mixture of Daffodils and Narcissi for naturalizing as the most outstanding item that we have ever offered in the line of spring flowering bulbs.

We instituted the sale of this mixture over 25 years ago, and each year represents a distinct improvement in the blending and quality of the bulbs. Today it consists of 100 per cent American-Grown bulbs from American-Grown parent stock grown in the Pacific Northwest, which region is acknowledged as the best Daffodil growing region in the whole world.

Each variety found in this mixture is in itself a splendid addition to any garden, and while naturalizing these bulbs under trees and in meadows is ideal, we do not hesitate in recommending them for garden use.

An outstanding fact concerning this mixture is the fact that we have been able to maintain its quality and excellence at no appreciable advance in price over what it was sold for five years ago. We doubt whether this price will ever be lowered within the next decade.

PRICE:

50 for \$3.65; \$7.00 per 100; \$65.00 per 1000; \$120.00 per 2000

Paper-White and Soleil d'Or Narcissi for indoor growing are offered on page 15.



Famous Imported HYACINTHS!

SUBJECT TO IMPORTATIONS—If unavailable, immediate refunds will be made

We welcome Dutch Hyacinths back mainly because we have never been able to fill the demand for our English and American-grown bulbs. These are fully aged and matured, equally suited for forcing as for outdoor planting. Quantities are limited.

JUMBO EXHIBITION SIZE. Giant forcing size either singly or in pans. This size makes tremendous heads, and when planted outdoors they are colossal. **Each 55c; \$5.50 per doz.; \$40.00 per 100.**

FORCING SIZE. Used mainly for forcing three or more in a pan, but are quite satisfactory for single pots as well. Impressive in outdoor beds. **3 for \$1.00; \$3.75 per doz.; \$27.50 per 100.**

HEAVY BEDDING SIZE. Still large enough to force well; this size is ideal for outdoor planting in beds and masses. **\$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**



City of Haarlem. Yellow.

Gertrude. Large trusses; dark pink.

Grand Maitre. Rich porcelain-blue.

King of the Blues. Deep navy blue.

La Grandesse. Late flowering pure white.

Lady Derby. Lovely pale pink.

La Victoire. Deep pink, almost red. Available in forcing and bedding sizes only.

L'Innocence. Very early flowering pure white.

Marconi. Compact heads, deep pink. Available in bedding size only.

Perle Brilliant. Brilliant light blue. Available in exhibition and forcing sizes only.

Queen of the Blues. Clear light blue. Available in bedding size only.

Queen of the Pinks. Rich light pink. Available in bedding size only.

Queen of the Whites. Late, compact, pure white. Available in bedding size only.

TWO Wonderful Hyacinth Novelties

When first offered by us in 1943 from a limited stock of American-grown bulbs they were rapidly sold out. Since then we have been swamped with requests for these two new colors in Hyacinths.

Apricot Queen. Just picture an orange-apricot Hyacinth flower fading to a rich apricot-pink.

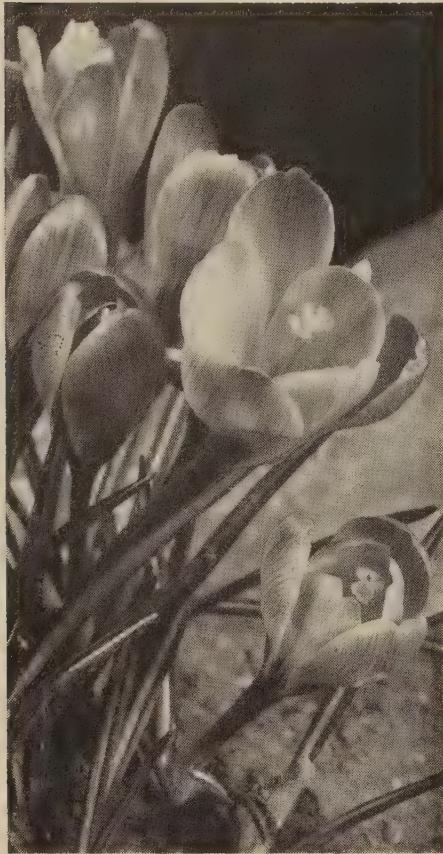
Scarlet Prince. A rich vivid brilliant scarlet. Really red.

PRICES OF BOTH VARIETIES:

Forcing size. 3 for \$1.85; \$7.00 per doz.; \$52.50 per 100.

Bedding size. 3 for \$1.45; \$5.50 per doz.; \$43.50 per 100.

Harbingers of Spring ~ Miscellaneous



Allium

f. Neapolitanum. Delivery September-October. Flowering May and June. Many heads of gorgeous white flowers particularly suitable for naturalizing in the shade. Invaluable as a cut flower. Perfectly hardy. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

Bletilla

f. Hyacinthina (Hardy Orchid). December delivery—subject to crop. Anyone can grow this beautiful hardy Orchid in the garden. Particularly valuable, for they bloom in late April and early May, and provide a delightful show of flowers before the Tulips bloom. **They are one of the easiest bulbs to force in the home.** A novelty of distinct merit. 75c each; \$8.25 per doz.

f. Hyacinthina Alba. Pure white. 75c each; \$8.25 per doz.

Calochortus

(Mariposa or Butterfly Tulip)

Delivery September-October. Gorgeous gems for the rock garden. Hardy with slight protection. \$1.10 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

Camassia

(Camas Lily)

Delivery October. A perfectly hardy and attractive bulbous plant growing 2 to 4 feet high. Spikes of bloom 18 inches long and contain as much as a hundred beautiful star-shaped flowers.

Leichtlini Blue. Jumbo bulbs only. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100.

Colchicum

(Meadow Saffron)

(Giant Autumn-Flowering Crocus). Delivery August-September-October. Supply limited.

Autumnale Major. Giant rosy purple. 45c each; \$5.00 per doz.

Autumnale Album. Pure white form of above. 60c each; \$6.50 per doz.

Bornmuelleri. Early flowering lilac. One of the best. 60c each; \$6.50 per doz.

Speciosum. Enormous flowers. Rose-purple. 50c each; \$5.50 per doz.

The Giant. Huge rich lavender. 65c each; \$7.00 per doz.

Autumn Queen. A new giant improved form of Autumnale. 75c each; \$8.25 per doz.

Chionodoxas

(Glory-of-the-Snow)

Delivery October.

Luciliae. One of the bravest of all garden flowers, venturing lovely, beautiful blue flowers through the late winter and spring snow. \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.25 per 100.

Fall-Blooming Golden Crocus

The brightest and hardiest fall blooming flower. Bright golden yellow blooms followed by deep green decorative foliage that remains green all winter and into the following spring. Loves hot, dry, sunny locations.

Large blooming size bulbs. \$2.25 per doz.; \$17.00 per 100. **Blooming size bulbs.** \$1.65 per doz.; \$12.50 per 100.

Crocus Zonatus

(Autumn-Flowering Crocus)

Delivery August-September. Lovely lavender-blue Crocus blossoms with contrasting orange anthers surmounting a white stem. Plant in the grass near shrubs, evergreens, etc., for startling effect.

Large blooming size bulbs. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100. **Blooming size bulbs.** \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.25 per 100.

Crocus

(Spring Blooming)

October delivery. Limited quantities will be available even if we do receive our quota from Holland. All orders will be filled strictly in rotation and pro-rata.

Baron von Brunow. Purplish blue.

Kathleen Parlow. Pure white.

Queen of the Blues. Light blue.

Sir Walter Scott. White, light blue stripes.

Yellow Giant. Golden yellow.

All Above:

Jumbo size bulbs. \$1.10 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

First size bulbs. 90c per doz.; \$6.75 per 100.

Mixed Colors. First size bulbs, 80c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.



Erythroniums

Erythronium

(Dogtooth Violet; Trout Lily)

Delivery September-October. These beautiful garden subjects bloom in early April. Delicate pastel shades. They are perfectly hardy and splendid for naturalizing in shady places. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

Eremurus



Get Acquainted
COLLECTION

Rare and little known bulbous plants for the garden.

6 Allium Neapolitanum
1 Eremurus (Your choice of variety)
6 Calochortus Mixed
Erythronium Mixed
6 Camassia Blue

The above collection—a \$3.90 value, for only ... \$3.25

Double Collection for \$6.25.



Chionodoxa Luciliae

Bulbs for Outdoor Planting

Spring Harbinger Collection

Crocus Mixed.

Scilla Campanulata. White, Blue and Rose-Pink (specify color or mixed).

12 each (60 in all), Value \$4.85 ... \$ 4.25
 25 each (125 in all), Value 8.70 ... 8.00
 100 each (500 in all), Value 35.75 ... 32.00

Blue Grape Hyacinths.

Leucojum Vernum.

Ornithogalum Umbellatum.

Eremurus

Without question one of the choicest and most pretentious of all garden flowers. Their immense size and beauty stamp them as true aristocrats of the garden. When established these plants produce spikes 6 to 10 feet tall. They are perfectly hardy everywhere. Early fall planting is recommended. All established blooming plants.

Bungei. Giant deep yellow.

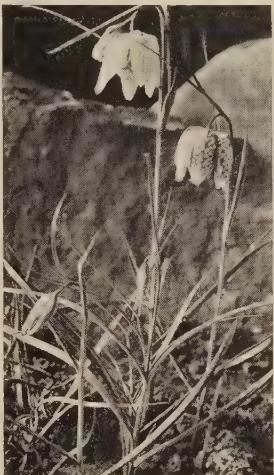
Himalaicus. Waxy white, huge size.

Him-Rob. Soft light rose. Very large.

Shelford Hybrids. The flowering spikes are over 3 feet long on 7-foot stems. Color range includes rich copper-pinks, apricot, light yellow and bronze.

Strong Blooming Size Roots, \$1.85 each.
Collection: 1 each of the 4 varieties
for \$6.85.

Leucojum Vernum—Snowflake



Fritillaria Meleagris



flowering bulbs, \$1.25 each; \$12.00 per doz.

Fritillaria

Delivery October.

Mixed. (Guinea Hen Flower). Beautiful bell-like flowers in all colors. Splendid for shady locations in the rock garden and for naturalizing. Perfectly hardy. Bulbs very scarce. \$1.75 per doz.; \$13.50 per 100.

Grape Hyacinths

(*Muscaris*)

Beautiful for planting as edging, groups in the rock garden and border, and for interspersing between Daffodils and Narcissi.

Heavenly Blue. Exhibition jumbo bulbs. 5-6 flowers per bulb. Excellent forcing size. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100.
Jumbo bulbs. 4-5 flowers per bulb. \$1.10 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.

Strong flowering bulbs. 2-3 flowers per bulb. 85c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

White. (Very scarce.) One of the most charming of all early spring flowers. \$1.50 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

Leucojum

Vernum (Spring Snowflakes). Attractive pure white flowers tipped green. Perfectly hardy. Will bloom first week in April. Jumbo bulbs only, \$1.20 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

Lycoris

Radiata (Spider Lily). Particularly adapted for planting south of Baltimore. Splendid and vigorous flowers will naturalize and multiply in a sunny climate and will be perfectly hardy in the North if planted in a protected location and covered each year. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

Squamigera (Magic Lily). Also known as Amaryllis Hallii. The lovely Magic Lilies are perfectly hardy. Attractive foliage in the spring which dies off in July and is succeeded by clusters of lovely lavender Amaryllis flowers. Strong



Grape Hyacinths



Lycoris Squamigera

Mertensia Virginica

(Virginian Cowslips or Bluebells)

An attractive early blooming, fleshy rooted perennial. Very beautiful and effective in the spring border mixed with Daffodils and early Tulips. Strong, No. 1 roots, 3 for \$1.15; \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

Ornithogalum

(Star of Bethlehem)

Umbellatum. Perfectly round clusters of pure white, star-shaped flowers. Very effective. 90c per doz.; \$6.50 per 100.

Ixiolirion

Pallasi. A new flower of unusual beauty for the June garden. Splendid in rock gardens. These rare blooms are exquisite for cut flowers and splendid for mass planting. Perfectly hardy. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100.



Ornithogalum Umbellatum



Mertensia

Eremurus are the Aristocrats of the Spring Garden



Snowdrops

Snowdrops

Single. Ample quantities will be available dependent upon delivery from Holland. \$1.10 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.



Zephyranthes Candida

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(Zephyr Lily)

Lovely cup-shaped, white flowers, blooming early fall. Perfectly hardy south of Baltimore and hardy in the North with slight protection. May bloom several times a year. \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.



Scilla Campanulata

(Bluebells; Wood Hyacinth Bells)

Rich Blue White Rose-Pink

Jumbo bulbs, \$1.50 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.
Mammoth bulbs, \$1.10 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.

Scilla Sibirica—Blue Squill

The lovely star-shaped, sky-blue Squill offered for the first time since 1939. Supply dependent upon delivery from Holland. \$1.10 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.

Scilla Sibirica, Spring Beauty

A novelty of the finest merit. Fully twice the size of the ordinary Scilla Sibirica producing 10 to 12 flowers on a long stem. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.50 per 100.

Hardy Bulbous Iris

The following classes of Iris are the most satisfactory sources of garden flowers in the month of June. Highly prized by florists; they are superb in the garden in clumps and groupings. The blues are unmatched for their color.

Iris Reticulata

The bulbs, if planted in the home in an ordinary flower pot early in the fall, will bloom for Christmas. This is a miniature form of Dutch Iris that is also invaluable for outdoor planting, particularly in the rock garden. The flowers are delightfully fragrant. \$2.50 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100.

For BEARDED IRIS, SEE PAGE 16.

Dutch Iris

Hardy to New York. Require slight winter protection in northern latitudes. Plant late October and November. Blooming period June 10th to 20th. All varieties are splendid for forcing.

Blue Horizon. Pale blue; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.75 per 100.

Imperator. Deep navy-blue, orange lip. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.75 per 100.

White Excelsior. Pure white, strong substance. \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

Yellow Queen. Bright golden yellow. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.75 per 100.

English Iris

(Delivery September-October)

Exquisite garden and cut flowers blooming early to mid-June. Very hardy.

Bleu Celeste. Light blue.

King of the Blues. Dark blue.

Mont Blanc. White.

Othello. Maroon.

Sunset. Pinkish lavender.

Price: \$2.75 per doz.; \$17.00 per 100.



Spanish Iris

Golden Wonder (Golden Lion). Very hardy, pure golden yellow; huge blooms on tall stems. An outstanding novelty. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100.



Dutch Iris

Iris, Wedgewood

A magnificent early flowering Iris. The finest of its kind. Excellent for outdoor planting as it is perfectly hardy. The best Iris for greenhouse forcing. No garden should be without a planting of these exquisite Iris.

Strong, jumbo bulbs, \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100.



English Iris

Schling's SUPERB HARDY LILIES

* denotes choicest types for forcing.

All Lilies, with the exception of Madonna Lilies, are delivered in late October and early November. For those who are afraid that the ground may be frozen before this date, we recommend the following:

Select the spot where the Lilies are to be planted; cover well with leaves, straw, salt hay, etc., to prevent the intrusion of frost. With this treatment it will be possible to plant Lily bulbs through November and December in the coldest climates.

MADONNA LILIES (Northern French Grown)

(*Lilium Candidum*)

Plant September 1st to November 1st.

These ever popular Lilies are once again available from France. The Northern type are absolutely hardy and disease free, and we are able to offer a wide divergence in sizes. The smallest size bulbs will produce beautifully.

Jumbo Exhibition Size. Average 15 or more blossoms to a spike. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00; \$18.50 per doz.

Mammoth Exhibition Size. Average 12 or more blossoms to a spike. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; \$13.00 per doz.

Regular Jumbo Size. Average 10 or more blossoms to a spike. \$1.10 each; 3 for \$3.00; \$11.00 per doz.

Regular Mammoth Size. Average 7 or more blossoms to a spike. 3 for \$2.50; \$9.25 per doz.

Strong Flowering Garden Size. Average 4 to 6 blossoms to a spike. 3 for \$1.75; \$6.00 per doz.

General List of Hardy Lilies

Album (*Speciosum*). First time offered since 1939. An exquisite hardy garden Lily. Large bulbs, \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

Blooming size, 3 for \$2.50; \$9.50 per doz.

Canadense. Bell-shaped, yellow spotted black. 3 for \$1.25; \$4.25 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

Canadense Rubrum. Rich deep red form of above. Very fine. 3 for \$1.35; \$4.50 per doz.; \$34.00 per 100.

Centigale. A super-giant trumpet Lily hybrid of *Lilium Regale*. Blooming two weeks later than *Regale* Lilies and decidedly stronger and better in every respect. Bulbs guaranteed disease free. 3 for \$2.25; \$8.50 per doz.

Centifolium. A beautiful heavy flowering hardy Lily with large white trumpets, reverse shaded brown. Mammoth bulbs, 3 for \$2.00; \$7.50 per doz. Jumbo bulbs, 3 for \$2.50; \$9.50 per doz.

f. Lilium Regale. The most important garden Lily by virtue of the fact that it is completely satisfactory in every section of the country. They are prolific bloomers. Flowers are beautiful and impressive, and the plants improve from year to year. Color of the bloom is white with canary-yellow throat; reverse of flower often showing pink.

Strong flowering bulbs, 3 to 5 blooms per bulb. Recommended for mass planting. 3 for \$1.25; \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

Garden Show size, 4 to 6 blooms per bulb. 3 for \$1.45; \$5.00 per doz.; \$37.50 per 100.

Giant flowering bulbs, 6 to 8 blooms per bulb. 3 for \$1.75; \$6.25 per doz.; \$47.50 per 100.

Mammoth Exhibition bulbs, 8 to 12 blooms per bulb. (Excellent forcing size.) 3 for \$2.25; \$8.25 per doz.; \$60.00 per 100.

Jumbo Exhibition bulbs, 20 to 25 blooms per bulb. 3 for \$3.15; \$11.75 per doz.; \$90.00 per 100.

f. Pardalinum, Sunset. A beautiful new Lily blooming in June. Perfectly hardy. Plant 5 to 6 inches deep. 3 for \$1.25; \$4.25 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

f. Philippinense Formosanum. A perfectly hardy pure white Easter Lily with trumpets 10 inches long. August bloomer. Extra large bulbs, 3 for \$1.40; \$5.00 per doz.; \$37.50 per 100.

Shuksan. A vigorous disease-free variety. Lovely canary-yellow with maroon spots. Tall and prolific, 12-18 blooms per bulb. Very hardy under all conditions. Mammoth bulbs, 3 for \$2.75; \$10.00 per doz.

Large flowering bulbs, 3 for \$1.75; \$6.50 per doz.

Speciosum Album. See Album.

Speciosum Rubrum. A limited stock of fine imported bulbs will be available. One of the best all-around garden Lilies. White shaded pink, reverse petals. Very hardy. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz. Large flowering bulbs, 90c each; \$10.00 per doz.

Superbum. Turk's Cap Lily. Deep wine-red. July bloomer. Many graceful miniature trumpet Lilies borne gracefully on 12-inch spikes. 3 for \$1.25; \$4.25 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

f. Tenuifolium. Coral Lily. Coral-red recurved Lily, gracefully spaced. June bloomer. Splendid for forcing. Perfectly hardy. 3 for \$1.25; \$4.25 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

Outstanding Opportunities for Lily Lovers

LILUM AURATUM

North American Grown

We offer the finest stock of disease-free *Auratum* bulbs, grown in British Columbia. Our plantings of these have been superb in the East, and we are delighted that we have such fine stock available. **Delivery early November.**

Regular Variety:

Large bulbs, \$1.35 each; \$15.00 per doz. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.65 each; \$18.50 per doz.

Extra Select Variety:

This group contains fine selected colors and types that are distinctly different from the regular *Auratum*. Large bulbs, \$2.75 each.

Mammoth bulbs, \$3.25 each.

SPECTACULAR Red Lily Auratum

Featuring red bands and markings instead of gold and brown. Really outstanding. Flowering size bulbs, \$4.00 each. Large bulbs, \$5.00 each. Mammoth bulbs, \$5.75 each.

Lilium Auratum From Seed:

Buckley's Esperanza Strain in originator's packets. Can be sown in a glass jar the year around. Complete cultural directions enclosed. Packet of 100 seeds, \$3.00.



Lilium Philippinense Formosanum



Lilium Regale



Lilium Candidum



Lilium Shuksan

Forcing Bulbs for Home Culture and



Anemone



Fancy-Leaved Caladiums



Lachenalia

hh Denotes forcing bulbs that are hardy south of Baltimore but require protection north of Baltimore.
hb Represents forcing bulbs that are hardy anywhere.

Amaryllis

Plant October to February

Schling's Giant Sequoia Hybrids. Our gorgeous strain should not be confused with ordinary Amaryllis. Growth, color and size stamp these as the best in their class. Every indoor gardener should have one or more pots of these gorgeous plants. Giant Jumbo Exhibition bulbs only. \$1.50 each; \$16.25 per doz.

Mammoth Exhibition Bulbs in Separate Colors:

White Ground. Mostly white but we cannot guarantee these as pure white.

Deep Red.

Bright Scarlet Shades.

\$1.75 each; \$19.25 per doz.

EXTRA SPECIAL

We have succeeded in securing the Amaryllis Collection from a famous private estate. These bulbs are not listed as to color, but each one is the result of years of selection. Only the desired types and colors are represented in this famous collection.
\$3.00 each; \$30.00 per doz.

Anemone

Plant September to December.

hb Exquisite for cutting. While listed as a forcing bulb, they are considered hardy as far north as New York; with protection can be planted safely anywhere.

De Caen (The French Poppy Anemone). Fine mixture of single varieties.

Blue Poppy. Single rich deep blue.

His Excellency. Brilliant single scarlet.

The Bride. Pure white, black center.

Exhibition size only. \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

Begonias, Tuberous-Rooted

Types: Double Camellia and Carnation-Flowered. Single Fringed and Straight Edged.

Colors: Crimson, Pink, Scarlet, Salmon, Yellow, White, Apricot and Orange.

Order in separate colors and types or mixed.

Belgian-grown large bulbs ready in December.

California-grown bulbs for later delivery.

\$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

(Subject to import.)

ASTILBE (Spiraea). See page 16.

BLETILLA HYACINTHINA. See page 10.

Fancy-Leaved Caladiums

January Delivery — Plant January to June

Plant in pots in Schling's Bulb Fiber or light loamy soil. Beautiful colored foliage plants can be had for Easter, Mother's Day and throughout the entire summer.

Exhibition Jumbo Bulbs Only. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50; \$5.50 per doz.

Calla Lilies

(Plant September to January)

These old favorites are still one of the most satisfactory bulbs for home culture.

White Calla (Z. Aethiopica). Pure white. Jumbo bulbs only, 85c each; \$8.25 per doz.; \$58.00 per 100.

Golden Calla (Z. Elliottiana). Pure golden yellow Calla of easy culture. Plant December first for midwinter bloom; plant February first for Easter bloom. Jumbo bulbs only, 85c each; \$9.50 per doz.

Black Calla (Arum pictum). The most interesting oddity, creating no end of interest. \$1.10 each; \$12.00 per doz.

Pink Calla (Z. Rehmanni). A sensation of the international Flower Show. Easily grown as exquisite pot plants. \$1.25 each; \$13.50 per doz.

hh Hyacinths

(Plant September to January)

hh White French Roman. American-grown. We are again one of the few firms fortunate enough to have a supply of these lovely Hyacinths, especially valuable since we have no more Lily-of-the-Valley for forcing to offer.

hh Blue Roman Hyacinths. (American-grown.) Light china-blue.

Price: \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.



Tuberous-Rooted Begonia



Calla Lily

Greenhouse

All Bulbs Presented Under This Heading are Suitable for OUTDOOR PLANTING IN SOUTHERN UNITED STATES

Freesias

SCHLING'S NEW PATENTED VARIETIES

Plant September to November

These new varieties represent a new race of Freesias. The flowers are immense, twice the size of ordinary varieties; the colors are intense, they are strong, virile growers, and the flowers are borne on immense trusses. None of these improvements have minimized the fragrance of the old type. In fact, the delicate and delightful aroma seems to be enhanced in these new varieties.

Apple Blossom. Delicate pink. U. S. Plant Pat. No. 486.

Bronze Giant. Combination of copper and bronze.

Giant Cream. Enormous cream-yellow, distinct orange-yellow throat; very tall, vigorous. Delightful fragrance.

King of the Yellows. U. S. Plant Patent No. 488.

Maryon. Beautiful mauve. U. S. Plant Patent No. 32.

Snowstorm. Pure white. U. S. Plant Patent No. 32.

\$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

FREESIAS, REGULAR VARIETIES

Elder's Giant White. Purity. Pure white.

Golden Daffodil. Yellow. Sunset. Orange.

Lavender King. Red Giant.

Pink Beauty. Mixed.

\$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

Gladiolus

Plant October to December

Tristis Supreme. The finest of all Tristis Hybrids. Pure white with delicate greenish cast in center; tall, vigorous, delicately fragrant. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

BABY GLADIOLUS IN SEPARATE COLORS

Cardinal. Brilliant red.

Peach Blossom. Soft pink.

Pink Perfection. Lovely rose-pink.

Spitfire. Orange-red.

\$1.65 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

A NEW NOVELTY WINTER FLOWERING GLADIOLUS

Winter Fairy. An entirely new strain, blooming in MID-WINTER. Ideal for forcing in cool greenhouse or outdoors in Florida. Produces spikes on 3- to 4-foot stems, individual florets 4 inches across. The color is a very pleasing bicolor effect, the three upper petals being a light salmon-pink, the lower petals a lovely lemon-yellow. \$2.50 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100.

Leucocoryne

(Glory-of-the-Sun)

Plant September to February

Gorgeous, fragrant blue flowers on graceful wiry stems. Cut flowers last ten days to two weeks. The CHOICE bulbs we offer will give 100% per cent bloom. Same culture as Freesias. Jumbo bulbs, \$1.75 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.



Freesias

hb Ranunculus

Plant October to January

Beautiful for forcing or for outdoor planting. They are hardy as far north as Virginia, and with protection are hardy anywhere. For forcing they are best planted October 15th to December 1st.

100% DOUBLE EXHIBITION STRAIN

Giant Tecolote, Claremont and Palafior Hybrids Mixed. Jumbo exhibition bulbs only, \$1.35 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

hh Veltheimia - Cape Lilies

Plant September to November

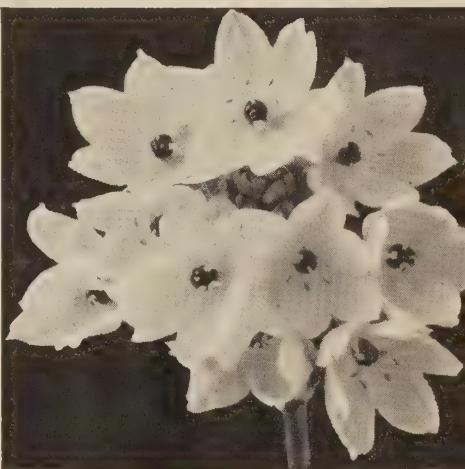
Viridifolia. One of the finest blooming house plants from a bulb. Tall, heavy spikes of brilliant bloom with beautiful foliage. Plant one in a 5-inch pot. 85c each; \$9.50 per doz.



Ranunculus



White French Roman Hyacinths



Ornithogalum Arabicum



Gladiolus, Winter Fairy

Perennial Plants

All plants are sent express collect unless transportation remittance accompanies order.

All Perennial Plants, Unless Otherwise Noted: 3 for \$1.55; \$5.00 per doz.; \$32.50 per 100.

There are so many satisfactory perennials in existence today that in order to list all of them we would be forced to issue a separate catalog. We have, therefore, selected the varieties described more fully as newer introductions of proved merit.

***ALYSSUM saxatile citrinum.** A new variety. Sulphur-yellow flowers. Dwarf.

AQUILEGIA longissima. Large; long-spurred; yellow. Exquisite. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 per doz.

Mrs. Scott Elliott's Hybrids. Carefully selected strain.

Blue Shades. Selection of large-flowered blue sorts.

Crimson Star. Rich red, contrasting buff corolla. **Rose Queen.** Rich bright rose; self color.

Orange Scarlet. A new bright shade.

ASTER, alpinus, Goliath. Low growing hardy Aster for rock gardens.

ASTILBE (Spirea). Strong, bushy perennials. Good for forcing.

Fanal. Red.

Gloria. Pink.

White Gloria. White.

CAMPANULA persicifolia, Blue Gardenia. A vigorous growing perennial Campanula that is completely double, resembling a Gardenia in form. This new addition to the Campanula family is a sensational novelty. \$1.75 for 3; \$6.50 per doz.

Persicifolia Moerheimi. Very choice hardy perennials. Large, double white flowers augmenting the beauty of any perennial border. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 for 10.

Persicifolia, Telham Beauty. Single blooms of exquisite china-blue. Can also be had in white. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 per doz.

CAMPANULA medium (Canterbury Bells). Rose, Blue and White.

Calycanthemum (Cup-and-Saucer). Same shades as above.

Carpatica (Carpathian Harebell). For rockeries and borders. 8 inches. July, August. Blue and white.

CARNATION. New hardy border strain in Red, Pink and White.

***CHEIRANTHUS Allioni** (Siberian Wallflower). Splendid orange flowers in May and June. \$2.00 for 3; \$7.00 per doz.

DELphinium. For spring delivery only.

Pacific Hybrids. Strong, field-grown plants grown from originator's seed. \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

Pacific Hybrids in Separate Varieties. Strong, field-grown plants in seven different colors including pure white. \$1.50 each; 6 for \$8.00; \$15.00 per doz.

Belladonna Improved. Light blue; for cutting. **Bellamosa Improved.** Dark blue; for cutting.

DIANTHUS barbatus (Sweet William). All of the finest colors, separate or in mixture.

***DICENTRA** (Bleeding Heart). Heavy roots, \$1.00 each.

DIGITALIS, The Shirley (Foxglove). Still the favorite strain.

DORONICUM caucasicum. Beautiful early spring golden yellow Daisy. Very hardy.

BEARDED IRIS, Separate Colors or Mixtures for Mass Planting. We have a splendid list of varieties in all colors or mixed. Specify colors desired. \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

GAILLARDIA, Burgundy. An excellent novelty Gaillardia. Huge flowers of deep red. Excellent for cutting.

Sherbrook. Rich golden yellow; yellow center. The finest Gaillardia.

GEUM, Mrs. Bradshaw. Large; double; orange-red. Always beautiful.

Princess Juliana. A new variety. Beautiful flaming orange. \$2.00 for 3; \$7.00 per doz.

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HEMEROCALLIS (Day Lilies).

New Betscher Hybrids. In separate colors. Heavy clumps, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

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***IBERIS sempervirens.** A vigorous hardy Candytuft with pure white flowers. Blooms in May and June. 8 in.

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Verna. Deep violet-blue with golden veins.

LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY. Strong clumps, \$6.00 per doz.; \$45.00 per 100.

LINUM perenne (Blue Flax). We still recommend plantings of this lovely old favorite.

LUPINUS polyphyllus. White, Pink and Blue.

Famous New Russell Hybrids. The finest development in Lupinus to date. Splendid strong plants, 75c each; \$6.50 per doz.

MERTENSIA virginica. See page 11.

MYOSOTIS palustris semperflorens. A beautiful hardy variety of blue Forget-me-not.

***NEPETA Mussini** (Catnip). Fragrant lavender spikes in bloom all summer.

PACHYSANDRA terminalis. The best ground cover for dense shade. Grown mainly for its attractive foliage. 2-yr., field-grown plants, 25 for \$9.00; \$35.00 per 100.

CLEMATIS FOR FALL PLANTING. We are definitely convinced that fall-planted Clematis are superior to those planted in the spring. There are so many beautiful hybrids available that it is impossible for us to list them all, but we are offering a collection which is representative of the finest of these most satisfactory flowering vines.

Crispa. Bell-like flowers colored a rich claret-purple. A most unusual and beautiful variety. \$1.25 each.

Duchess of Edinburgh. Gorgeous 8-petaled white with golden crown. \$1.50 each.

Jackmani. Large 4-petaled velvety purple. \$1.50 each.

Mme. Edouard Andre. Rich velvety red. \$1.50 each.

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PAPAVER nudicaule, Coonara Pink (Iceland Poppy). This shade is exquisite. These Poppies will last as well as any cut flower.

Orientale, Beauty of Livermore. Rich, dark crimson.

Mrs. Perry. Soft salmon-rose.

Perry's White. Satiny white with maroon blotch at base of petal.

Rembrandt. Warm orange-scarlet; flowers enormous.

Salmon Glow.

PHLOX divaricata Laphami. Beautiful light clear blue. Bloom early May. Splendid with Tulips and late Daffodils.

PHLOX subulata. White, Pink, Lavender-Blue and Deep Crimson.

GARDEN PHLOX.

Daily Sketch. Bright salmon-pink.

Leo Schlageter. Glowing scarlet.

Mia Ruys. Dwarf. Midseason. White.

Miss Lingard. The earliest white.

Salmon Glow. Favorite deep salmon-pink.

Enchantress. Light pink.



PESTEX—The Mole Repellent

This great discovery has proven amazingly successful in repelling all destructive and bulb-loving rodents such as moles, field mice, squirrels, chipmunks, etc.

Dust your bulbs thoroughly before planting. One pound is sufficient to treat 100 Tulip bulbs or more and leave enough over to mix in the soil in order to make your bulb beds absolutely "pest-proof." This product is non-poisonous and absolutely harmless to bulbs, roots and foliage.

Price: 60c per lb.; \$4.50 per 10 lbs., postpaid.

PLATYCODON, Single. Blue, White and Pink.
Double Blue. (New.) \$6.00 per doz.; \$45.00 per 100.

POLEMONIUM, Blue Pearl. One of the finest low growing perennials for bordering perennial and bulb beds. Invaluable for rockeries. Lovely ferny foliage remaining green all summer. Bright blue. \$5.50 per doz.; \$40.00 per 100.

***PRIMULA auricula** (Swiss Alpine Primrose). In various colors.
Veris, Munstead. Giant yellow, crimson and white.

PYRETHRUM, Single Hybrids. Finest single hybrids in a lovely range of colors.

Double Hybrids. \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

ROSA, Rouletti. This excellent dwarf Alpine Rose, covered with sweet scented, double, pink Roses from May until fall, is a splendid subject for bordering Rose beds, edging flower beds, window boxes and rock gardens. 75c each; \$7.50 per doz.

SCABIOSA caucasica, Isaac House Strain. Lavender-blue blooms on strong 18-inch stems from June to September. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 per doz.

SEDUM acre, acre minus, album, altissimum, anacampseros, dasypodium, hispanicum minus, iberidium, kamtschaticum, lydium glaucum, Middendorffianum, Nevi, Nevi sp., rupestre, Sieboldi, sexangulare, spectabile, spurium (stoloniferum).

TARRAGON. Delightful herb. Useful in borders. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 per doz.

THYMUS citriodorus. Golden leaf-mats.

Lanuginosus. Dense mats of woolly foliage. Excellent for planting between flat stones.

Serpulium. White, Red and Pink, offered in separate colors.

TROLLIUS Ledebouri, Golden Queen. A beautiful semi-double golden yellow.

VERONICA, Blue Spire. Improved Spicata type. Dark, shiny green foliage. Blooms all summer.

VINCA minor (Periwinkle). Ground cover.

VIOLA. Lovely Tufted Pansies.

Jersey Gem. Lovely violet-blue. Blooms all summer. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 per doz.

VIOLET, Double (*Viola odorata*). Delightfully sweet scented flowers for shady locations.

Blue Giant. A magnificent novelty in Violets. Superb flowers of violet bloom in endless profusion on long 10- to 12-inch stems, exhaling a perfume so strong that a few flowers placed in a vase permeate the whole room with a delightful Violet fragrance. Very vigorous in growth and hardy, with reasonable protection in very severe climate. 3 for \$2.00; \$6.00 per doz.

Royal Robe. Same as above. Color deepest violet-blue. 3 for \$2.00; \$6.00 per doz.

Varieties Marked (*) recommended for rock garden.

NOTE: We cannot warrant or guarantee in any way other than trueness to type and variety, the life or virility of any plant stock. All complaints must be filed within 5 days after delivery.

Protective Mulch Materials

SALT HAY. Valuable as a protective mulch for bulb and perennial beds. Price per bale, \$6.00, f.o.b. New York.

IMPORTED PEAT MOSS. \$6.00 per bale, f.o.b. New York.

SANI-SOIL. A valuable new mulching material. 25-lb. bag, \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$6.50, f.o.b. New York. Descriptive circular on request.

Some Favorites for the Food Garden

We offer here a few important items for the food garden that we consider as best planted in the fall. Fall planting enables the plant stock to become established so that no time is lost in spring transplanting. Inasmuch as all of these items are very hardy, loss from winter-killing is negligible, and should not be considered.

Asparagus, Mary Washington

Rust-resistant. Ready for delivery late September. Gain a whole year on your Asparagus bed by planting this fall. **Complete cultural circular sent on request.** \$5.35 per 100, postpaid.

Egyptian or Top Onion Sets (Hardy)

Egyptian Onion Sets are planted to produce very early Spring Onions and Scallions. These sets are perfectly hardy in practically every section, and can be planted throughout the entire fall. They remain in the ground with practically no protection, and produce tender and tasty green Onions early in the spring. Price: 50c per quart, postpaid.

BERRY PLANTS

All the finest varieties in the following:

Raspberries:

Fruiting size regular bearing varieties. \$5.60 per 10; \$49.50 per 100.

Fruiting size everbearing varieties. \$6.50 per 10; \$60.00 per 100.

Blackberries.

\$5.60 per 10; \$49.50 per 100.

Boysenberries.

\$5.60 per 10; \$49.50 per 100.

Currants.

Strong fruiting size. \$7.50 per 10; \$70.00 per 100.

Gooseberries.

Large fruiting size. \$2.50 each; \$21.00 per 10.

Grape Vines.

All fine varieties, large fruiting size. \$1.50 each; \$13.50 per 10.

Strawberries.

All fine varieties; strong pot-grown plants. 25 plants, \$4.00; \$12.00 per 100. No

orders for less than 25 of a variety.

Everbearing Strawberries: Mastodon and Gem.

25 for \$5.00; \$16.00 per 100.

TWO WONDERFUL NEW RHUBARB VARIETIES

Chipman's Canada Red. The newest and finest Rhubarb. Very sweet and tender; of the finest flavor with extra large stalks. Bright red all the way through, the red color extending even to the mid-rib of the leaf. This variety retains its beautiful color in cooking, and both sauce and pies are an appetizing cherry-red color. This variety definitely does not go to seed during the summer, and, therefore, can be used throughout the entire summer. **Supply very limited.** Price: \$1.25 each; 5 for \$5.50, postpaid.

MacDonald. Stalks are tender, of unsurpassed flavor, and of a bright crimson. When cooked, the color is a beautiful shade of pink. High yield, strong and robust. MacDonald can be used all summer. Strong roots, 80c each; \$9.40 per doz., postpaid.

In our opinion these two varieties of Rhubarb preclude the necessity of planting any of the older varieties. We are discontinuing the listing of all older varieties in favor of these two which we consider the greatest advance in this line. Rhubarb should be planted four feet apart, and the crowns set so that they are covered 2 inches below the surface.

Schling's Selected Peonies

It is a known fact that the only time to plant Peonies for really good results the first year is in the autumn. It is advisable to cover the top eyes of these strong roots no more than two inches. Protection is rarely necessary, and, if used, should consist only of such covering as salt hay, leaves, or SANI-SOIL.

Oriental Peonies (Crested)

Eva. Bright lilac-crimson, golden center, very lively color; late \$1.25

Emma. Lilac-deep-pink, two rows of perfect round petals, rose-cream 1.25

Francoise. Bright rose, staminodes cream with golden edges, two rows of round petals 1.10

Jeanne Lepandry. Pure white, flat cream center 2.50

Mr. G. F. Hemerik. Bright pink, two rows of petals, large center of cream staminodes 2.50

The Pearl. Bright pink, large center of staminodes, cream-red edged; very large flowers 2.50

New and Rare Peonies

Glorious. (Kelway.) Purest white, very large and fine shape of flowers like Therese \$4.00

Le Cygne. Pure white, very large round flower 4.00

Martha Bulloch. Deep rose-pink, very large and very tall 2.50

Myrtle Gentry. Beautiful light pink, rose scented; late 5.00

Monsieur Martin Cahuzac. The darkest red, very large flowers 2.50

Philippe Revoir. Bright deep crimson; very fine formed flower, sweet rose scented 2.50

Sarah Bernhardt. Bright pink, large flower; late 2.50

Walter Faxon. Vivid real pink; very fine 2.50

Fine Standard Peonies

Duchesse de Nemours. Cream-white; very free flowering; tall \$1.10

Edulis Superba. Deep pink; very early 1.10

Festiva Maxima. Pure white, red button in center 1.10

Felix Crousse. Deep rose-red 1.10

Karl Rosenfield. Deep crimson; profuse flowering 1.10

President Taft. Delicate silvery pink; very tall and early 2.00

Richard Carvel. Brilliant crimson; early 2.00

All Peonies Postpaid



Fall Sown Lawns are Best

Schling's Maxima Grass Seed Mixtures

A grass seed mixture may be offered under any brand name. However, regardless of the name, the basis of all good grass seed mixtures must necessarily be the same. The important feature of a good mixture is that it contains heavy, plump seeds from selected grass stocks that have been grown for the distinct purpose of seed production. Careful blending pays its part in the compounding of a high class grass seed mixture. We have prided ourselves upon the super-quality of our grass seed mixtures which have established a reputation in the past 25 years.

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Schling's Maxima Special Lawn Mixture

(40%) 39.20%	Kentucky Bluegrass	Germ. 85%
(20%) 29.40%	Fancy Red Top	Germ. 92%
(10%) 9.80%	Colonial Bent	Germ. 90%
(10%) 9.90%	Domestic Ryegrass	Germ. 90%
(10%) 9.80%	N. Z. Chewings Fescue	Germ. 85%
0.30%	Weed Seed	
0.15%	Crop Seed	
1.45%	Inert matter	

Price: \$1.00 per lb.; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.65; 10 lbs. \$9.00; 25 lbs. \$21.50; 100 lbs. \$83.50.

Schling's Maxima Shady Nook Mixture

(35%) 34.30%	N. Z. Chewings Fescue	Germ. 85%
(20%) 19.60%	Fancy Red Top	Germ. 92%
(20%) 19.60%	Meadow Fescue	Germ. 90%
(25%) 24.50%	Kentucky Bluegrass	Germ. 85%
0.30%	Weed Seed	
0.15%	Crop Seed	
1.55%	Inert matter	

Price: \$1.15 per lb.; 2 lbs. \$2.15; 5 lbs. \$5.15; 10 lbs. \$10.00; 25 lbs. \$23.50; 100 lbs. \$92.50.

Fall sowing of grass seed insures an established lawn for next season. These are the lawns that usually remain green through the hot and dry summer due to the fact that their root system has had a chance to develop through the cool days of autumn and early spring.

Wild White Clover

A comparatively recent introduction of this strain of Clover. It is very vigorous and of a thick, dwarf growth. An important feature is its lack of flowers which is a great advantage in maintaining a green lawn. Wild White Clover is more vigorous than any weed, and because of its all around excellence we recommend its use in the finest lawns whereas in the past we have never recommended the use of ordinary Dutch White Clover except for specific purposes. 1 pound is sufficient for 800 square feet. 1 lb., \$3.00; 5 lbs., \$14.00.

Schling's Bulb Fiber

Especially prepared bulb fiber that has been improved by the addition of various essential minerals for the successful growing of bulbous flowers. This material enables one to plant bulbs in decorative bowls without drainage, thereby enhancing the beauty of the entire arrangement. It is treated to prevent stagnation and putrefaction and never gives off an offensive odor. Such bulbs as Amaryllis, Roman Hyacinths, Paper-White Narcissi, Freesias, Calla Lilies, in fact, all bulbs that can be grown in the home thrive exceedingly well in this preparation. 25c per quart; 75c for 4 quarts; \$1.35 per peck.

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